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Re: New U.S. Patent Application of
Inventor: Lisa Desjardins
Title: "Method and System for Managing an Information Technology Project"

Dear Sir:

Attached is a new application for filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office, including forty-two (42) pages of specification, including nine (9) page of claims (numbered 1-25) an Abstract, and eight (8) pages of drawings (Figures 1-6). Also attached is a Declaration, Assignment, and Assignment Cover Sheet.

This application claims priority of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/240,070, filed October 16, 2000.

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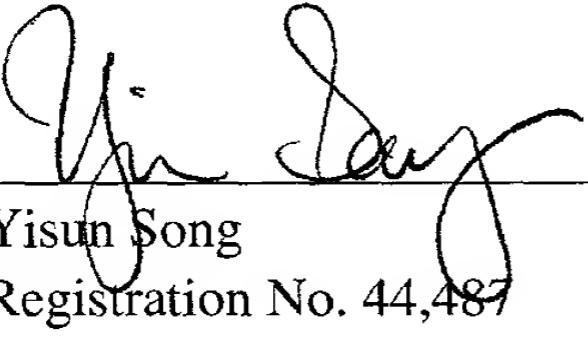
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